## **Deborah.Easterling**

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From:

Deborah.Easterling

Sent:

Thursday, August 23, 2012 3:16 PM

To:

'Majcina, John'

Subject:

RE: Form Returned: Letter\_of\_Protest\_Form\_pub\_0001.pdf

Dear Mr. Majcina,

This is to acknowledge receipt of your email to the Public Service Commission. I am forwarding your email and Letter of Protest to our Clerk's Office for processing. Your email and Letter of Protest will become a part of Docket No. 2012-177-WS and will be posted on our website under this docket.

Please let me know if you should require any additional information.

Sincerely,

Deborah Easterling Administrative Assistant

----Original Message----

From: Majcina, John <a href="mailto:JOHN.MAJCINA@MONTGOMERY-INS.COM">[mailto:JOHN.MAJCINA@MONTGOMERY-INS.COM]</a>

Sent: Thursday, August 23, 2012 10:20 AM

To: PSC Contact

Cc: Majcina, John; Adrienne Majcina (amajcina@gmail.com)
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The attached file is the filled-out form. Please open it to review the data.

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Email form to: contact@psc.sc.gov

* Required Fields  Date: * August 23, 2012		<b>Letter of Protest</b>				Print		
		in Docket	2012 - 177	7 - WS	i		Email	
Protestant Info	rmation:							
Name *	John Majcina							
Mailing Address *	11112 Broken Bro	ok Way						
City, State Zip *	Tega Cay	, <u>sc</u>	29708	_ Phone *	803-981-2454			
E-mail								
1. What is your subject of this	connection or interpretation	rest in this case? ng? (This section m	* For example, are	e you a cust	tomer of the Co	mpany that	at is the	
I am customer of	this company for al	bout 9 years now.						

2. Please give a concise statement of your protest. \* (This section must be completed. Attach additional information if necessary.)

I am in strong protest of this water/sewer rate increase. As a customer of TCWS we have already been paying extremely high water & sewer bills for years. When we compare our rates to other local communities in SC, as well as NC communities Tega Cay is already well above the normal cost for water and sewer. Also, I do a lot of travel for work and have found that the majority of the cities I am visiting have substantially lower water and sewer rates in comparison to us in Tega Cay.

Again I am in PRTOTEST of this rate increase and think it makes no sense in these hard economical times to increase rates for customers that are already having difficult times trying to make ends meet. Instead of trying to increase rates, TCWS should be finding a way to provide their customers and community with their water service instead of having to get from other local towns ("piping" it in). Also, TCWS could probably decrease rates if they didn't outsource the billing & payment functions!

3. Do you wish to make an appearance at a hearing in this proceeding, if scheduled, and offer sworn testimony? \*

If in town and available, yes, I can attend.